

TITLE 5 VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT					
Announcement Number:	2006-136	Opening Date:	9/14/06	Closing Date:	10/05/06
Position/Position Number:	PAINTER, WG-4102-9 #1183	Organizational Location:	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT SVC TEMPLE		
Salary Range:	\$17.20 -\$20.07 PER HOUR	Area of Consideration:	CURRENT PERMANENT CTVHCS AND VCS EMPLOYEES		
<b>Duties and Responsibilities:</b>					
<p>Hours of Duty: To be determined by Facilities Management Service. Incumbent is employed as a journeyman level painter for Facilities Management Service, Temple. Duties include preparation of walls by taping and floating, painting, vinyl hanging, and striping of parking areas. Incumbent must possess journeyman level skills to mix and apply paints, float and tape walls and hang vinyl wall coverings. Incumbent prepares surfaces by sanding, scraping, taping and floating. Prepares coating materials by tinting, toning, matching, blending and mixing. Application of materials is made by the use of spray guns, roller or brush, using the most efficient method for each particular job in such a manner so as no brush marks, laps, or voids show. Incumbent prepares walls for hanging vinyls (fabric or paper) and photographic murals. Is also required to paint, stain, or varnish furniture, both wood and metal. Incumbent must perform as a competent, skilled journeyman, using initiative making reliable tests, measurements, adjustments, selecting tools and materials, planning and laying out the work. Physical effort: Incumbent performs a variety of tasks requiring moderate physical exertion such as lifting, pushing, pulling, carrying, climbing, bending, stooping, crawling, and negotiating in confined spaces. Will be required to work off high ladders, scaffolding, and bucket truck as necessary. Incumbent will be standing or walking most of the time and must be in very good overall physical condition. Working Conditions: Work is performed both inside and outside and is usually dirty, dusty, and noisy. Incumbent is frequently exposed to abrasions, cuts, bruises, and other serious injuries as a result of falls and slips. Is sometimes required to work in confined spaces.</p>					
<b>Qualification Requirements:</b>					
<p>Qualifications are derived from Office of Personnel Management (OPM) Handbook X-118 or X-118C, available in Human Resources Management Service (HRMS). Applicants must have sufficient training and experience to be trusted to perform duties on own initiative under general supervision.</p> <p><b>Selectee must successfully pass a pre-employment physical.</b></p>					
<b>Rating and Ranking:</b>					
<p>Qualified candidates will be rated and ranked on the following knowledge, skills, and abilities:</p> <p>Element 1: Ability to do painting work without more than normal supervision (<b>screen-out element</b>). Ability to do work independently, make decisions, plan painting operations, show job responsibility, exhibit independence, exercise initiative, etc.</p> <p>Element 25C: Practices in construction, structure. Ability to measure distances on structures, laying out outlines of structures and dimensions on units, preparing surfaces for painting, etc.</p> <p>Element 25E: Technical practices (theoretical, precise, artistic). Includes the knowledge of how painting functions are performed in different situations; alternative methods; tricks of the trade; mechanical principles; ingenious devices; latest developments; etc.</p> <p>Element 75B: Ability to interpret instructions, specifications, etc. (other than blueprints) Ability to interpret painting instructions and specifications, such as manuals, sketches, and work orders.</p> <p>Element 81: Ability to use and maintain tools and equipment. Knowledge of the installation, malfunction, operation, and methods of adjustment or alignment of equipment, machines, structures, functional equipment and component parts.</p> <p>Element 82A: Knowledge of materials used in painting work.</p> <p>Element 86: Dexterity and safety. Ability to perform painting duties and to use tools and equipment with dexterity, speed, quality, and safety.</p>					
<b>How to apply:</b>					
<p>Permanent employees who wish to be considered for this position must obtain necessary forms through the internet address: <a href="http://www.central-texas.med.va.gov/HRMS/forms.htm">http://www.central-texas.med.va.gov/HRMS/forms.htm</a>. <b>VA Form 5-4078 must be received in HRMS, Temple, by close of business on closing date of announcement. VA Forms 5-4676A and 5-4667B must be received within 7 calendar days after the closing date of this announcement.</b> It is the responsibility of each employee to assure that his/her Official Personnel File (OPF) is current and shows <b>ALL</b> work experience and credentials <b>prior</b> to the closing date of the announcement. Area of consideration may be expanded to include external applicants with eligibility. Please refer questions to Lili A. Sims, Human Resources Specialist, extension 40785.</p>					
<b>THIS IS A BARGAINING UNIT POSITION.</b>					
<p>If patient needs arise, the incumbent of the above position may be reassigned within the Central Texas Veterans Health Care System. This agency provides reasonable accommodations to applicants with disabilities. If you need a reasonable accommodation for any part of the application and hiring process, please notify the specialist listed above. The decision on granting reasonable accommodation will be on a case-by-case basis. Please refer any questions to the specialist listed above. CTVHCS is a smoke-free environment.</p> <p><b>EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:</b> Actions to fill this position will not be based on discriminatory factors which are prohibited by law.</p>					